

RSE Table 20

**Civilian full-time workers in hospitals: Relative standard errors
of mean hourly, weekly, and annual earnings by
work levels**

Occupation and work level ¹	Hourly earnings ²		Weekly earnings ⁴		Annual earnings ⁵	
	Mean	Relative error ³	Mean	Relative error ³	Mean	Relative error ³
All workers	\$23.28	1.6%	\$912	1.9%	\$47,410	1.9%
Level 1	11.22	2.7	447	2.6	23,267	2.6
Level 2	12.06	1.3	465	1.8	24,206	1.8
Level 3	13.07	1.7	515	1.8	26,794	1.8
Level 4	14.53	1.5	568	1.9	29,533	1.9
Level 5	17.72	1.7	695	1.9	36,165	1.9
Level 6	20.74	4.0	814	4.5	42,353	4.5
Level 7	25.60	2.1	1,012	2.2	52,641	2.2
Level 8	28.66	2.5	1,099	3.2	57,133	3.2
Level 9	29.56	1.3	1,146	1.4	59,577	1.4
Level 10	37.58	4.0	1,475	3.1	76,687	3.1
Level 11	41.94	2.9	1,683	2.9	87,491	2.9
Level 12	54.54	8.6	2,265	7.7	117,803	7.7
Level 13	81.38	11.5	3,014	14.2	156,730	14.2
Not able to be leveled	27.32	6.3	1,089	6.3	56,641	6.3
Management occupations	42.15	7.6	1,697	7.6	88,225	7.6
Level 11	37.04	8.2	1,467	8.2	76,282	8.2
Level 12	49.50	6.9	2,086	5.8	108,466	5.8
Not able to be leveled	41.64	10.4	1,666	10.4	86,611	10.4
Medical and health services managers	39.93	6.0	1,613	6.3	83,857	6.3
Level 12	48.23	6.1	2,039	4.2	106,012	4.2
Business and financial operations occupations	28.42	4.2	1,128	4.3	58,649	4.3
Level 9	26.96	3.1	1,080	3.1	56,137	3.1
Accountants and auditors	25.87	4.0	1,035	4.0	53,817	4.0
Computer and mathematical science occupations	25.16	6.7	1,007	6.8	52,364	6.8
Life, physical, and social science occupations	38.48	15.4	1,419	14.1	73,792	14.1
Community and social services occupations	23.75	6.9	927	7.3	48,218	7.3
Level 9	26.02	1.6	1,038	1.6	53,981	1.6
Social workers	24.20	7.6	942	8.2	49,004	8.2
Medical and public health social workers	25.57	5.3	1,018	5.4	52,913	5.4
Mental health and substance abuse social workers	20.73	15.9	789	16.7	41,033	16.7
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	28.53	1.7	1,114	1.8	57,914	1.8
Level 4	15.92	3.6	636	3.6	33,058	3.6
Level 5	18.80	2.5	733	2.6	38,098	2.6

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Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations —Continued						
Level 6	\$21.32	4.9%	\$835	5.4%	\$43,443	5.4%
Level 7	26.16	2.7	1,030	2.9	53,569	2.9
Level 8	29.29	2.1	1,117	3.6	58,067	3.6
Level 9	29.83	1.4	1,154	1.5	60,025	1.5
Level 10	38.34	5.5	1,495	4.3	77,759	4.3
Level 11	44.01	3.3	1,771	3.1	92,102	3.1
Not able to be leveled	29.53	9.8	1,175	9.9	61,105	9.9
Pharmacists	51.05	.8	2,042	.8	106,176	.8
Level 11	51.00	1.1	2,040	1.1	106,089	1.1
Physicians and surgeons	54.05	15.1	2,210	14.9	114,901	14.9
Registered nurses	30.84	.9	1,190	1.1	61,872	1.1
Level 7	28.62	1.2	1,102	2.7	57,286	2.7
Level 8	30.59	2.0	1,140	5.3	59,290	5.3
Level 9	29.63	1.2	1,145	1.4	59,535	1.4
Level 10	37.64	4.5	1,445	2.5	75,125	2.5
Level 11	41.39	2.9	1,647	2.9	85,627	2.9
Therapists	26.89	2.3	1,050	2.5	54,613	2.5
Level 7	23.86	3.4	939	3.7	48,822	3.7
Level 8	25.02	3.6	981	2.6	50,993	2.6
Level 9	29.45	1.8	1,135	3.2	59,012	3.2
Occupational therapists	29.35	3.2	1,137	3.8	59,135	3.8
Level 9	28.42	2.6	1,092	3.3	56,765	3.3
Physical therapists	32.15	4.1	1,261	4.7	65,583	4.7
Respiratory therapists	23.65	2.1	918	2.5	47,745	2.5
Level 7	23.86	2.3	935	2.8	48,628	2.8
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	22.26	4.7	888	4.8	46,150	4.8
Level 4	15.06	8.3	602	8.3	31,314	8.3
Level 6	25.58	11.2	1,023	11.2	53,200	11.2
Level 7	27.90	7.3	1,116	7.3	58,025	7.3
Level 8	27.26	4.0	1,063	5.7	55,260	5.7
Level 9	27.00	3.1	1,080	3.1	56,157	3.1
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists	25.62	3.6	1,018	3.8	52,940	3.8
Level 7	27.84	7.9	1,114	7.9	57,906	7.9
Level 8	27.26	4.0	1,063	5.7	55,260	5.7
Level 9	27.00	3.1	1,080	3.1	56,157	3.1
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	19.29	9.1	772	9.1	40,128	9.1
Level 4	15.06	8.3	602	8.3	31,314	8.3
Level 6	25.71	12.3	1,028	12.3	53,469	12.3

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Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations —Continued						
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians	\$30.53	5.5%	\$1,211	5.6%	\$62,970	5.6%
Level 5	22.04	13.9	857	14.6	44,576	14.6
Level 6	24.76	4.2	975	4.7	50,723	4.7
Level 7	29.84	9.0	1,192	9.0	61,970	9.0
Level 8	30.24	3.5	1,209	3.5	62,889	3.5
Cardiovascular technologists and technicians	39.23	17.5	1,569	17.5	81,599	17.5
Diagnostic medical sonographers	35.61	6.9	1,424	6.9	74,069	6.9
Radiologic technologists and technicians ..	26.39	3.6	1,041	3.8	54,144	3.8
Level 6	24.85	5.1	974	5.7	50,659	5.7
Level 7	25.34	3.6	1,011	3.6	52,580	3.6
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics	15.08	5.6	573	8.1	29,809	8.1
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians	17.25	3.6	683	3.5	35,499	3.5
Level 4	15.61	2.2	624	2.2	32,474	2.2
Level 5	18.23	2.8	715	2.1	37,191	2.1
Pharmacy technicians	15.51	1.6	621	1.6	32,269	1.6
Level 4	15.31	1.5	613	1.5	31,852	1.5
Surgical technologists	18.86	3.6	739	3.0	38,451	3.0
Level 5	18.59	3.5	727	2.7	37,809	2.7
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	18.77	3.1	725	3.5	37,688	3.5
Level 5	18.42	4.1	714	4.4	37,130	4.4
Level 6	19.03	5.0	725	6.6	37,712	6.6
Medical records and health information technicians	17.59	7.4	701	7.5	36,443	7.5
Miscellaneous health technologists and technicians	19.33	6.4	766	6.6	39,827	6.6
Healthcare support occupations						
Level 2	13.69	1.5	534	1.9	27,760	1.9
Level 3	12.54	4.1	484	6.3	25,154	6.3
Level 4	13.29	2.3	524	2.4	27,265	2.4
Level 5	13.52	1.0	519	1.3	26,977	1.3
Level 6	15.50	5.9	612	5.5	31,850	5.5
Level 7	17.72	6.2	709	6.2	36,859	6.2
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	13.18	1.8	513	2.2	26,660	2.2
Level 2	12.63	4.9	484	7.5	25,161	7.5
Level 3	13.16	3.2	517	3.3	26,904	3.3
Level 4	13.25	1.8	510	1.2	26,517	1.2

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Healthcare support occupations —Continued						
Home health aides	\$12.48	2.8%	\$499	2.8%	\$25,957	2.8%
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	12.74	1.8	497	2.2	25,862	2.2
Level 2	12.57	5.3	480	8.1	24,951	8.1
Level 3	12.67	2.3	496	2.3	25,812	2.3
Level 4	13.09	2.5	515	2.2	26,783	2.2
Psychiatric aides	14.46	4.5	554	5.2	28,824	5.2
Level 3	15.84	9.0	634	9.0	32,946	9.0
Level 4	13.46	3.2	505	3.1	26,277	3.1
Physical therapist assistants and aides	15.79	10.1	612	11.7	31,811	11.7
Physical therapist assistants	20.36	2.2	814	2.2	42,349	2.2
Physical therapist aides	12.86	4.8	488	6.4	25,398	6.4
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	14.25	1.6	560	1.4	29,116	1.4
Level 3	13.90	2.4	556	2.4	28,915	2.4
Level 4	14.24	1.6	551	1.4	28,641	1.4
Level 5	14.75	3.5	582	3.1	30,279	3.1
Medical assistants	13.98	2.4	547	1.4	28,446	1.4
Level 4	14.35	1.9	555	.6	28,872	.6
Medical equipment preparers	13.74	4.4	550	4.4	28,576	4.4
Medical transcriptionists	15.96	3.1	606	5.2	31,489	5.2
Level 4	16.02	1.2	595	6.0	30,935	6.0
Protective service occupations						
Security guards and gaming surveillance officers	14.25	3.0	569	2.9	29,583	2.9
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Food preparation and serving related occupations						
Level 2	12.31	3.5	479	3.7	24,933	3.7
Level 3	11.79	2.3	449	2.5	23,334	2.5
Cooks	10.88	3.4	421	3.0	21,904	3.0
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	12.71	4.7	508	4.7	26,438	4.7
Fast food and counter workers	12.71	4.7	508	4.7	26,438	4.7
Food servers, nonrestaurant	11.37	2.3	435	3.5	22,623	3.5
Level 2	12.18	3.5	470	5.4	24,435	5.4
Level 2	12.09	3.5	459	6.6	23,842	6.6
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations						
Level 1	11.46	1.9	453	1.8	23,552	1.8
Level 2	10.82	2.0	432	1.9	22,465	1.9
Level 3	11.74	2.0	458	2.0	23,791	2.0
Level 3	11.87	8.5	475	8.5	24,694	8.5

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Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations –Continued						
Building cleaning workers	\$11.42	1.9%	\$451	1.7%	\$23,456	1.7%
Level 1	10.82	2.0	432	1.9	22,465	1.9
Level 2	11.73	2.2	456	2.2	23,719	2.2
Level 3	11.87	8.5	475	8.5	24,694	8.5
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	11.70	2.5	467	2.4	24,302	2.4
Level 1	10.45	1.6	416	1.1	21,628	1.1
Level 2	12.15	3.3	486	3.3	25,252	3.3
Level 3	11.91	9.8	476	9.8	24,768	9.8
Maids and housekeeping cleaners	11.07	2.2	431	1.9	22,414	1.9
Level 1	11.01	3.0	440	3.0	22,891	3.0
Level 2	11.08	2.9	415	3.1	21,561	3.1
Office and administrative support occupations						
.....	15.32	1.6	602	1.7	31,323	1.7
Level 2	12.59	2.5	492	2.6	25,572	2.6
Level 3	13.32	2.0	524	1.8	27,231	1.8
Level 4	14.77	1.7	578	2.2	30,061	2.2
Level 5	17.23	3.3	679	3.5	35,329	3.5
Level 6	19.79	8.9	780	8.5	40,571	8.5
Not able to be leveled	15.74	6.2	625	5.8	32,489	5.8
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers	23.09	3.1	894	4.5	46,509	4.5
Financial clerks	14.65	1.9	584	2.0	30,358	2.0
Level 3	13.93	1.2	557	1.2	28,982	1.2
Level 4	14.77	1.2	591	1.2	30,729	1.2
Level 5	15.37	4.8	604	5.3	31,405	5.3
Bill and account collectors	15.87	8.8	635	8.8	33,011	8.8
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators	14.73	1.3	585	1.4	30,424	1.4
Level 4	14.84	.7	594	.7	30,877	.7
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks	14.06	4.0	562	4.0	29,236	4.0
Customer service representatives	16.22	4.0	643	4.1	33,454	4.1
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan	14.40	5.5	576	5.5	29,953	5.5
Level 4	16.01	3.1	641	3.1	33,311	3.1
Receptionists and information clerks	13.69	1.2	529	1.6	27,533	1.6
Level 3	13.60	1.6	519	2.5	26,989	2.5
Level 4	14.17	.8	551	1.9	28,640	1.9
Secretaries and administrative assistants	16.73	2.4	654	2.9	34,004	2.9
Level 4	14.85	3.2	572	5.1	29,766	5.1

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Office and administrative support occupations —Continued						
Secretaries and administrative assistants —Continued						
Level 5	\$18.12	3.3%	\$710	3.6%	\$36,939	3.6%
Level 6	20.17	9.4	807	9.4	41,955	9.4
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	20.15	4.1	797	4.1	41,434	4.1
Level 6	22.19	3.7	888	3.7	46,152	3.7
Medical secretaries	15.78	2.9	608	4.0	31,599	4.0
Level 4	15.19	5.6	576	8.2	29,960	8.2
Level 5	17.73	4.1	686	4.1	35,646	4.1
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	15.83	3.9	630	3.9	32,757	3.9
Level 4	14.29	2.4	566	2.7	29,434	2.7
Office clerks, general	14.28	5.6	567	5.6	29,500	5.6
Level 3	13.33	4.9	528	4.6	27,456	4.6
Construction and extraction occupations	23.97	7.4	959	7.4	49,847	7.4
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	22.06	12.0	880	12.0	45,748	12.0
Level 7	25.47	5.5	1,019	5.5	52,977	5.5
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	19.93	9.0	794	9.0	41,289	9.0
Level 7	26.88	3.7	1,075	3.7	55,916	3.7
Maintenance and repair workers, general ..	19.93	9.0	794	9.0	41,289	9.0
Level 7	26.88	3.7	1,075	3.7	55,916	3.7
Production occupations	19.71	7.7	786	7.7	40,898	7.7
Transportation and material moving occupations	15.52	12.0	582	15.3	30,243	15.3

¹ The NCS uses the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification coding structure, which defines more than 800 unique occupations, to match jobs sampled by the survey. Military occupations are excluded from the survey.

² Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees.

They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighed by hours.

³ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see chapter 8 of the BLS Handbook of

Methods, at http://www.bls.gov/opub/hom/homch8_a.htm.

⁴ Mean weekly earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees, exclusive of overtime.

⁵ Mean annual earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees, exclusive of overtime.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that data did not meet publication criteria. Broad occupational groups may include data for subordinate occupational groups not shown separately.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.